

## D. LISTENING & SPEAKING

**Exercise 1: Listen to the descriptions and match them with the different kinds of holiday.**

(**🔊** Tracks 4.1 – 4.6)

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| 1. City break        |  |
| 2. Language exchange |  |
| 3. Sailing holiday   |  |
| 4. Wildlife holiday  |  |
| 5. Adventure holiday |  |
| 6. Beach holiday     |  |

**Exercise 2: Listen to people talking about activities they like to do on holiday and match them with the pictures.** (**🔊** Tracks 4.7 – 4.12)



1. \_\_\_\_\_



2. \_\_\_\_\_



3. \_\_\_\_\_



4. \_\_\_\_\_



5. \_\_\_\_\_



6. \_\_\_\_\_

**Exercise 3: Listen to John talking about the different places he's visited. Match the countries with the main reasons he went to them. (Track 4.13)**

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|-------------|---|---|------------------------------------------|
| 1. Turkey   | ● | ● | So he could study art.                   |
| 2. Morocco  | ● | ● | Because he loves mountain climbing.      |
| 3. Italy    | ● | ● | So he could improve his language skills. |
| 4. Thailand | ● | ● | So he could try the food.                |
| 5. Russia   | ● | ● | Because he loves beach holidays.         |
| 6. Spain    | ● | ● | Because his grandmother lives there.     |

**Exercise 5: Listen to Cristina talking about her holiday. Choose the correct answers. (Track 4.14)**

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|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Cristina usually goes on                           | 5. Cristina and her friends went to the Palace of Versailles |
| ○ Adventure holidays.                                 | ○ By bus.                                                    |
| ○ Beach holidays.                                     | ○ By car.                                                    |
| ○ Sailing holidays.                                   | ○ By train.                                                  |
| 2. Cristina and her friends stayed                    | 6. Cristina                                                  |
| ○ In a gueshouse.                                     | ○ Didn't enjoy her holiday.                                  |
| ○ In a hotel.                                         | ○ Enjoyed her holiday.                                       |
| ○ With a family.                                      | ○ Wasn't sure if she enjoyed her holiday.                    |
| 3. On the first day, Cristina and her friends visited | 7. Cristina thinks that Paris is                             |
| ○ The Eifel Tower.                                    | ○ Expensive                                                  |
| ○ The Louvre museum.                                  | ○ Great.                                                     |
| ○ The Pompidou Centre.                                | ○ Very clean.                                                |
| 4. Cristina says that the food in the restaurant was  |                                                              |
| ○ Delicious.                                          |                                                              |
| ○ Not very good.                                      |                                                              |
| ○ Very expensive.                                     |                                                              |

**Exercise 7: Put the words in the correct order to make sentences. Practice saying the sentences.**

1. With family we a stayed host .

2. On I went trips day .

3. Water parks they visited .

4. Attractions I saw local .

5. A cycling tour we went on .

6. Travelled they by train .

7. They visits cultural went on .

8. And galleries visited museums we .

**Exercise 8: Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.**

1 I like to go on wildlife holidays because I prefer to see animals in their delicious/ fun/ natural environment.

2 I'm an architect, so when I travel, I like to visit easy/ famous/ long buildings like the Burj Al Arab in Dubai.

3 I don't like beach holidays so going to a beach resort is very boring/ interesting/ short for me.

4 I love travelling to China because the food is cultural/ delicious/ quick.

5 I enjoy going to museums, so I often go on cultural/ delicious/ difficult visit.

6 When I'm on holiday, I like shopping and visiting boring/ difficult/ local markets.

7 I love eating, so when I go on holiday to another country, I think it's famous/ fun/ popular to try traditional food.

8 I think France is great. It's a very local/ natural/ popular country to visit. It has over 50 million visitors a year.

**Exercise 9: Complete the sentences with *so* or *because*.**

1. I love animals \_\_\_\_\_ I often go on wildlife holidays.
2. We stayed in a guest house \_\_\_\_\_ hotels are very expensive.
3. she loves sports \_\_\_\_\_ she went on an adventure holiday.
4. He wanted to improve his Italian \_\_\_\_\_ he went on a language exchange Rome.
5. They love holidays by the sea \_\_\_\_\_ they stayed at a beach resort.
6. I went on a city break to London \_\_\_\_\_ I love visiting museums.

**Exercise 10: Describe a holiday you really liked. Look at the ideas below. Spend a few minutes thinking about what to say.**

***Talk about:***

- *where you went*
- *what you did on the trip*
- *why you went*
- *why you liked it.*